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SUBJECT: US-USSR ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT, ACTIVITY 02.05-  
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1. REQUEST EMBASSY PASS FOLLOWING LETTER TO DR. V. E. SOK-  
OLOV, INSTITUTE OF EVOLUTIONARY MORPHOLOGY AND ANIMAL ECOL-  
OGY, WITH COPY TO KAZAKOV, HYDROMET.

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DEAR VLADIMIR EVGENEVICH:

THE U.S. SIDE IS LOOKING FORWARD TO THE UPCOMING VISIT OF  
DRS. ELIAS, TOMB, AND WEBER TO THE USSR FOR COOPERATIVE  
WORK ON ENDANGERED AND THREATENED SPECIES OF PLANTS. ACTI-  
VITY COORDINATOR DR. THOMAS ELIAS WOULD LIKE TO KNOW IF IT

WOULD BE POSSIBLE FOR HIM TO TRAVEL TO EREVAN ON THE 17TH  
SEPTEMBER INSTEAD OF DEPARTING THE USSR IN ORDER TO WORK ON

A PAPER ON THE VEGETATION OF THE LESSER CAUCASUS. HE  
WOULD ALSO LIKE TO VISIT THE BOTANICAL GARDENS IN EREVAN  
AND MEET WITH BOTANISTS NORA GAVRIELIANA AND LEVAN HARUTU-  
NIAN. DR. ELIAS WOULD PLAN TO DEPART THE USSR 23 SEPTEMBER.  
DRS. TOMB AND WEBER STILL PLAN TO DEPART THE USSR  
17 SEPTEMBER.

PLEASE FORWARD YOUR CONFIRMATION OF THE PROPOSED DATES FOR  
VISA ISSUANCE IF THE EXTENSION OF DR. ELIAS' VISIT IS AC-  
CEPTABLE TO THE SOVIET SIDE. DR. ELIAS IS PREPARED TO PAY  
HIS OWN EXPENSES FOR THE EREVAN VISIT IF HE CANNOT BE RE-  
CEIVED ON A RECEIVING SIDE PAYS BASIS BEYOND SEPTEMBER 17.  
SINCERELY, ROBERT PUTZ. CHRISTOPHER

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